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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
NAOJI OTSUKA ET AL.) Examiner: Arthur G. Evans
Application No.: 09/966,251) Group Art Unit: 2622
Filed: October 1, 2001)
For: PRINTING APPARATUS, PRINTING)
METHOD, DATA PROCESSING)
AND RECORDING MATERIAL) October 24, 2005

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AMENDMENT

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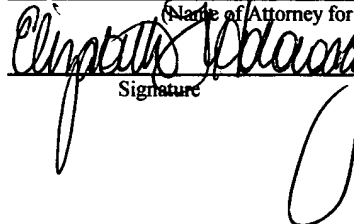
A. Introductory Remarks

This is in response to the Office Action dated July 22, 2005. Please amend the application as follows and consider the following remarks.

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